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Applicant: Ronald E. Sloan

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 24, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Listing of the pending Claims begins on page (2) of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page (6) of this paper.**